

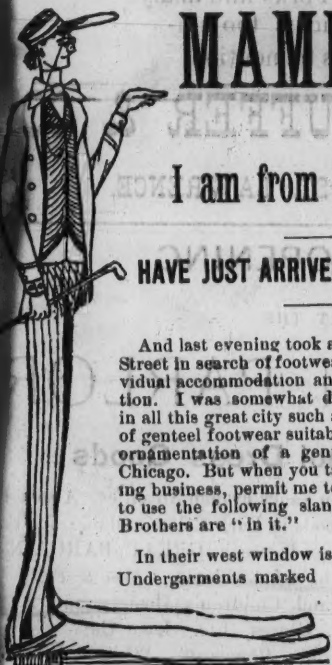
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MAMMOTH FALL OPENING.

I am from Chicago.

HAVE JUST ARRIVED IN LAWRENCE.

And last evening took a stroll down Essex Street in search of footwear for my own individual accommodation and personal admiration. I was somewhat disappointed to find in all this great city such a numerous scarcity of genteel footwear suitably adapted to the ornamentation of a gentleman's feet from Chicago. But when you talk about the clothing business, permit me to vulgarize so far as to use the following slang phrase: Bicknell Brothers are "in it."

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LOCAL NEWS.

B. B. Tuttle has moved into the Daniel Abbott house, on Elm Street, recently occupied by Chas. H. Frye.

Brooks F. Holt was chosen one of the county committee at the Republican county convention in Salem last week.

Post G. A. R. at their meeting last Friday night voted to turn out in full uniform on Columbus Day and assist the schools in the celebration.

Miss Helen M. Gougar, the queen orator of the West, will address a Prohibition rally in the City Hall, Lawrence, on next Wednesday evening, Oct. 19.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of Mary Morton of this town to Miss Mary Edredge Welch of Newton to occur at the latter place Oct. 20.

A family by the name of Cary arrived from Arbroath, Scotland, this week and located in Abbott Village. Mr. Cary is employed in the Pacific Mills, Lawrence.

The Democratic battalion has elected the following officers: Capt., E. E. Trefry; 1st Lieut., Fred Foster; 2nd Lieut., Chas. Towey; 3rd, M. Crowley.

From this date on and through the winter months the "Bargain Parlor" will be open daily from 8 P.M. till 6 P.M. and every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

On account of the unprecedented size of the classes in Phillips Academy, Mr. Lyman G. Smith, a graduate of Harvard '92, has been engaged to assist in the instruction for the current academic year.

Prof. Fox has visited Rugby School again this past season obtaining new views so that we shall see some pictures which were not seen in his Lowell Institute Course.

Postmaster Marland has opened a second window for the delivery of what has been listed mail. By order of the P. O. department the lists have been done away with.

Prof. Reilly of Lawrence formed a dancing school in G. A. R. Hall, Wednesday evening. About thirty were in attendance. They meet again next Wednesday.

A Prohibition Club has been organized by the young prohibitionists of Phillips Academy, with the following officers: President, G. H. McClellan; secretary, Benjamin C. Anten.

The Republican Club has put up a flag on Park Street, with the words Harrison and Reid and Republican Headquarters on it. A transparency has also been placed near the entrance to the headquarters.

The first meeting of the New England Wheaton Seminary Club, of which there are members in this town, will be held at the Thordike, Boston, to-morrow beginning at 12 o'clock. The afternoon subject will be "The Columbian Exposition."

Prof. Geo. L. Fox on "Dr. Arnold and Rugby School" appears to-night in the People's Course of entertainments. The next after that will be by that ever popular reader Geo. W. Cable, on Monday evening, Oct. 24.

The Democratic county convention met at Salem, Monday and nominated W. S. Hoyt of Lynn for sheriff, Robert Burke of Newburyport for district attorney, and W. F. Collins for county commissioner. Chas. W. Thwing of Ballardvale was elected a member of the county committee.

Dr. E. W. Donald, son of W. C. Donald of this town, and pastor of the Church of the Ascension in New York, has received a call to become rector of Trinity Church, Boston, which was formerly under the charge of Bishop Brooks. He has not given his decision yet. The salary is said to be over \$10,000.

There is a fine looking bunch of peanuts on exhibition in the window of H. McLawlin's hardware store. They were raised by Miss Millie S. Abbott, daughter of Richard M. Abbott of Vineland, N. J., formerly of this town. She has had good luck for the first trial and intends to make quite a business of raising peanuts next season.

Quite a large number of vocalists responded to the call of Geo. W. Stover and met at the home of Mr. Fred Andrews, Monday night. A great deal of interest was manifested, and definite action will be taken at the next meeting which will be held in A. O. U. W. Hall next Monday evening at 7.30. The price of the course and the nature of the music, etc., will then be decided upon. All who like to sing, young or old, are invited to attend.

The tennis tournament between representatives of Phillips Andover and Exeter last Saturday afternoon, resulted in another victory for the blue in both singles and doubles. Hamlet Anderson of Andover defeated Rand of Exeter by a score 6-4, 6-2, 6-0. In the doubles Millard and Allen beat Read and Davis of Exeter 6-2, 7-5, 6-3.

Haverhill papers say that Capt. Sillars of Danvers is to run as an independent candidate for sheriff.

The annual harvest concert of the Free Church Sunday School will be given next Sunday evening beginning at 9 o'clock.

The Republican Club meets to night, and a lot of valuable campaign literature is expected to be ready for distribution.

W. B. Carpenter, son of Rev. C. C. Carpenter, has gone to Taunton, where he is to be an instructor in the High School.

The grocery stores of T. A. Holt & Co., Smith & Manning, and J. H. Campion & Co. will be closed on Columbus Day, Oct. 21.

The Grand Jury failed to find any bill against Bertie Mears of Ballardvale, who was arrested for setting fire to his father's property.

Mr. John Batchelder, organist at Christ Church, returned this week from abroad, and will preside at the organ next Sunday.

E. H. Chandler, a graduate of the Seminary, and recently of the Andover House in Boston, has accepted a call to the Union Church in Taunton.

An inventory of the estate of Willard Durant, late of West Parish was filed at Probate Court, Monday. The amount was \$5,881.68.

The Republican Club of Phillips Academy has elected officers for its battalion as follows: major, A. B. Harkness, '93; captains, H. E. Pickering '93 and Woodfin '90.

The Board of Registrars met at Ballard Vale, Monday evening, and put twelve new names on the voting list. Wednesday night in the Town Clerk's office twenty-four names were added.

The Boys' Republican club battalion has received new uniforms, consisting of white coats, hats and leggings with blue trimmings. They appeared in them for the first time Tuesday night.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of Scotland District very pleasantly entertained the Ballardvale Society by a husking-bee at the home of Newton Jacquot, Jr., Tuesday. A collation, singing and games after the husking were all thoroughly enjoyed.

Capt. Bruce of the Andover Cricket club played with the New England team, which defeated the E. A. C. eleven at Longwood last Saturday. The Boston papers spoke of his brilliant work with the bat and as wicket keeper.

New and large wooden signs have been placed in several places by Chief Cheever, calling attention to the fine for riding bicycles on the sidewalks. Whether this will avail much is a question, as some have already disappeared from their places.

The Democratic banner was found to be a little unruly and require too much care, so an American flag bearing the names of Cleveland and Stevenson, Russell and Carroll, and Moses T. Stevens has been raised in its place.

Mr. Draper has recently added \$200 to the endowment of the Draper prizes in the Academy. Mr. Draper sustained them by an annual gift from 1867 to the centennial year, 1878, at which time he established a fund yielding \$40 a year.—Phillipian.

The Andover Auxiliary of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions will meet at the South Church vestry on Tuesday, Oct. 18, at 3 P.M. The members of this organization, as well as all women who are interested in mission work, are urged to be present.

There are hardly any changes in the new time table of the Andover electric. Sundays cars run every half hour in the morning the same as week days, every twenty minutes in the afternoon and half-hourly in the evening beginning at 8.15. The last car Sunday evening leaves the Lawrence station at 9.43.

The Republican Club meeting last Friday night was the largest held this season, many coming in response to the circular, which was freely circulated, asking those who desired a battalion to be present. About thirty young men put down their names as in favor of forming and joining a battalion. Many more names have been added since. The committee appointed to have charge of the matter are: Frank T. Carleton, H. F. Chase and Charles McDermott. Uniforms will be procured very soon. There is every promise of a good battalion.

Deputy James Savidge of Lawrence was present at the meeting of Lincoln Lodge A. O. U. W. Monday night and installed John Matthews as outside watchman in place of Thomas Taylor resigned. After the meeting refreshments were served and a good time enjoyed. The Deputy and several members of the lodge made speeches, and several rendered songs. It was a lively meeting and considerable business was transacted. It was voted to have a new stage built for use at the time of entertainments, and it will be ready for the "ladies night" observance in the early part of November.

Miss Mary Poor is spending a few weeks with friends in New York.

Rev. G. W. Clough will have a special service on Sunday evening, appropriate to Columbus Day.

T. Dennis Thompson has been elected clerk of Christ Church parish, in place of Marcus Morton, resigned.

The Boys Republican Club paraded the principal streets of the town last night and then raised a flag near the residence of L. H. Eames on Elm Street. Their excellent drilling was the cause of much favorable comment and they executed some very pretty movements.

In regard to a new hotel for Elm Square, it is understood that Architect Reagan has submitted three sets of plans to the owner, but nothing definite has yet been decided upon. The present occupants have leases which have about three years to run.

Columbus Day Exercises.

Parade at 9 A.M.; exercises in Town Hall, 9.30 A.M.; music by Andover Band; reading, President's proclamation, by F. O. Baldwin, Principal of High School; flag displayed by Veterans; three cheers led by Veterans; flag saluted by all of the schools; singing, "America," by all; prayer by Rev. H. R. Wilbur; singing, "Song of Columbus Day," by all; address, "The Meaning of the Four Centuries," by M. Harlan Nims; quotations by various schools; the ode, "Columbia's Banner," Gertrude E. Holt; music by Andover Band; address by Rev. F. W. Greene; two or three five-minute speeches by members of various organizations represented; music by Andover Band.

Important Notice.

The members of the Republican Club battalion and all who would like to become members are requested to meet at headquarters to-night for drill and to be measured for the new uniforms. At a meeting last Thursday night Frank Gleason was chosen captain; H. A. Ramsdell 1st Lieut.; Will Smith 2nd Lieut. A very neat uniform has been selected and will be furnished by The Wardrobe Clothing House of Lawrence.

School Notes.

Miss Bertha Smith of the South Central Intermediate School resigned on Monday to accept a position in a private school in Philadelphia, Pa. Miss Smith is to be congratulated, as she will have only about one-third as many pupils and her salary will be one hundred and fifty dollars larger.

At a special meeting Monday night the School Board accepted the resignation of Miss Smith, and appointed Miss Mary Bliss, who was four years a successful teacher in a primary school of Hartford, Conn., and who has been thus far in the Scotland District.

Miss Ida G. Goldthwait of Biddeford Pool, Me., was appointed to the Scotland District. She comes highly recommended, is a graduate of the Chelsea High School and Salem State Normal School and has over two years experience.

The next monthly meeting of teachers will occur on Friday, Oct. 22, at 2 P.M., in the Central Grammar School building. The programme will consist mainly of work on primary reading. Teachers and lessons with children will be given. All who are interested are cordially invited to be present.

Foot-Ball.

The Phillips eleven are "hacking" the heavy rush line of Dartmouth College this afternoon, on the campus.

The Tufts College team has at last succeeded in winning a game from a Phillips Academy eleven. This year the Medford boys play quite a game of foot ball, something they didn't know very much about before, and with a Yale man as coach they ought to make a good showing against any college team. The score last Saturday afternoon was 24 to 0. The Andover team played a fair game, the tackling of Hopkins being something excellent, but Tuft's superior weight and fine interfering won them the game. Andover is still weak at centre and Tufts took advantage of this.

Andover young men are interested in the Yale team more than ever this year, as it contains as regular members and substitutes eight former Phillips players, viz.: C. D. and L. T. Bliss, McCormick, Hinkey, Cochran, Greenway, Coxe and Armstrong.

The Brown University team will play here next Wednesday afternoon.

The Phillips eleven minus the services of four or five of her best men, including Hopkins and Jennings, were defeated by Harvard '93, Wednesday afternoon, 32 to 0. The visitors' team was much heavier than Andover, and contained several well known Harvard foot-ballists.

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And now we are prepared to sell you everything in our line at very low prices. Here are a few of the bargains for the coming week. A 75c Felt Hat for 49 cts. A 62c Felt Hat for 37. Trimmed sailors at 69 cts. A five dollar fur cape for \$3.87. A fine Military cape for \$15.00. 62c Muff for 39c. \$1.37 wrapper for \$1.00. \$1.00 wrapper for 79c. 87c. night robe for 69c. 50c. night robe for 39c. 37c. undervest for 25c. 50c. corsets for 37c. 25c. hose for 19c. Come early and secure the bargains at the

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Candidates for Congress.

So many new men have been nominated for congress here in Massachusetts this year that it is not easy for the average reader to know who they all are. The list by district:

1. John C. Crosby, dem., of Pittsfield. Ashley B. Wright, rep., of No. Adams.
2. Frederick H. Gillett, rep., of Springfield. Edward H. Lathrop, dem., of Springfield.
3. John R. Thayer, dem., of Worcester. Joseph H. Walker, rep., of Worcester.
4. Lewis D. Apley, rep., of Hudson. Frederick S. Coolidge, dem., of Ashburnham.
5. William S. Knox, rep., of Lawrence. Moses T. Stevens, dem., of North Andover.
6. William Cogswell, rep., of Salem. James B. Little, dem., of Newburyport.
7. William Everett, dem., of Quincy. Henry Cabot Lodge, rep., of Nahant.
8. John F. Andrew, dem., of Boston. Samuel W. McCall, rep., of Winchester.
9. Benjamin C. Lane, rep., of Boston. Joseph H. O'Neil, dem., of Boston.
10. Harrison H. Atwood, rep., of Boston. Richard C. Humphreys, ind. rep., of Boston. Michael J. McErick, ind. dem., of Boston. William S. McNary, dem., of Boston.
11. William F. Draper, rep., of Hopedale. George Fred Williams, dem., of Dedham.
12. Elijah A. Morse, rep., of Canton.
13. Charles S. Randall, rep., of New Bedford. Henry C. Thacher, dem., of Yarmouth.

A Leaf from a Diary on the Pacific Ocean—Steamer Mariposa.

We had a delightful day at Honolulu. We landed about 6 o'clock in the morning. The first sight that greeted my eyes as I went on deck was the little native boys swimming about the ship and diving for coins. Some one would throw a dime, and a dozen brown heads would go down and a dozen pairs of brown heels come up. In a few seconds the heads would pop up again, and the one more fortunate than the rest would hold up his dime. Then as I looked toward the wharf, I saw the children of Mrs. M. who had come to meet their mother, our fellow passenger. I felt an envious pang as I watched their meeting, but I was glad for Mrs. M. The people on the wharf were mostly white, with an occasional native or Japanese or Chinese.

Rev. Mr. E., of the Hawaiian Board, took us to his house to breakfast. How beautiful and fresh and green everything looked! We walked into the garden and tasted figs just ripe, tamarinds, too, and dates. For breakfast we had different kinds of melons, alligator pears, baked bananas, taro, Hawaiian coffee, four years old, etc. After breakfast they took us to drive and to make some calls. We went to the Post Office and to the government buildings. Their legislature was in session. Some of the members were white men and some were natives. Their debates were carried on in both languages, the clerk interpreting each. We visited Oahu College, a very fine school for English speaking young people. The grounds were very beautiful. A long hedge of night blooming cereus was just ready to bloom, and thousands of buds had already opened. They gave us several buds which opened on board the ship. We visited Fask, saw many fine school buildings, but it was vacation time, so we only saw the buildings. You cannot imagine how pleasant it was to eat a good dinner at a home table on dry land. We saw Mrs. D. in her own dainty artistic home and also friends of our California friends.

Too soon our reprieve was over and our kind friends drove us back to the steamer, laden with fruits, cocoa nuts, and flowers, and with garlands of leaves around our necks, according to Hawaiian custom, and then the Royal Hawaiian Band on the wharf played us off, and the little brown Hawaiian boys in the water dived for coins again, and again we were on the bounding billows. It was a happy day. A *chink!* Mary Watkins calls it; but we have had long days of misery since. I got so tired of my seasickness that I gave up, and consulted the doctor to-day. His Bromo, soda and quinine may relieve this constant nausea. I had not supposed that it could last the whole four weeks, but I am afraid it can. However, "All's well that ends well," and we will hope. We made a very good run yesterday. (It is September 23, now) 359 miles, and we are hoping to see Samoa to-morrow afternoon, when this will be mailed. We shall go ashore for two or three hours if we get there before dark.

We have had very pleasant weather and the sea has not been very rough, only that long roll, which is so hard for my poor sick stomach to bear. E. is very well and very happy, and is growing fat. He is hungry all the time. F. was very seasick a day or two, but it did not last very long.

Would you like just to glance into our "Social Saloon." It is not very social just now. Opposite me sit the three graven images of whom I have told you. The man sits with his head on his hand gazing mournfully at vacancy. His wife is leaning back with her eyes closed, and the little image sits by her mother, her black eyes rolling around like black huckleberries in a pan of milk. My E. and two other boys are having a nice frolic. Our friend the dentist looks very pensive.

Little Lord B. has been at school in England, and is returning under the care of his guardian, Sir George D., to his home in Australia. He is a very innocent looking youth. To look at him you would think he might have come from some country town in Maine or New Hampshire, but as soon as he speaks, "he is so English, you know," there is no mistaking him. The Countess, the boy's mother, is to come on board at Samoa, and go on with us. There are only eight ladies and thirty or forty gentlemen on board. So you see I am rather limited in my choice of friends. One came on board at Honolulu drunk and came to the table in such a condition that she has been kept in her state room ever since. Some of the ladies are very interesting and intelligent, but they live in a very different world from mine. Meanwhile we are all more or less social, in our four weeks' companionship.

We have now only about 3000 miles more of this endless ocean, and in about twelve days we hope to reach Sydney. "I'M A PILGRIM."

The Practical Politician.

By the ordinary citizen of the educated class, the practical politician is thought to be a man who, though sometimes perhaps having good intentions, is nevertheless led by selfish motives, in the main, to do selfish, corrupt, and dishonest deeds. In his own eyes the practical politician of the higher grade is a patriotic citizen working for the good of a party upon the success of which depends the welfare of the country. He feels in many cases that he is driven to acts which to him are unpleasant; which are, perhaps, on the whole unfortunate for the country, but which, under the circumstances, are still a stern necessity. To be sure, among the "workers" will be found many who care neither for country nor party, nor even for leader, though that is rare; but in the higher ranks the proportion of the consciously dishonest, although possibly larger than that of the same class among merchants or lawyers, is still small. Most of our office holders in the higher legislative and executive positions are at bottom as honest, hard-working, and self-sacrificing as men of other classes. The "submerged tenth" have dragged the reputations of their fellow politicians lower than truth would permit us to declare their characters to be. These differences of opinion with reference to the character of the practical politician come largely from lack of knowledge on the part of the public as to the circumstances in which the politician is placed, and as to the pressure that is brought to bear upon him, as from ignorance of the amount of excellent self-sacrificing work that he really does. . . . When the people really see things as they are, know what ought to be done, and demand that action be taken, the politician will be ready and prompt to act. The politician cannot act until he feels that public opinion is with him; his business, in fact, and in justice too in the main, is not to guide public opinion, but to follow it. He may help to create and guide public opinion, but that duty is equally incumbent upon lawyers, preachers, teachers, and all good and intelligent citizens. We need to distinguish in this regard the reformer, and even the statesman, from the politician. It is the business of the politician, and the business is a worthy one, to care for the interests of his party, and thereby, as it appears to him, for the interests of the state; and his party interests cannot be cared for unless he follows public opinion. To the politician also "the public" means, not merely the educated or the good citizens, but all citizens who have votes. If, then, we expect the politician to change his methods of action, we must in some way bring it about that by the change more votes will be gained to the party in power than will be lost.

A politician knows very well that he does many things that are condemned by the most enlightened consciences; he does many things that to himself are disagreeable, and that trouble even his well-trained conscience; but, as has been said, to him these acts are necessary, and he does them as other good people do necessary but unpleasant tasks. When he can be made to see that it will be better, not for himself personally, but for the success of the party,—which, let me repeat, to him means the good of the country,—to change the methods of conducting elections, nobody will be more ready to change than he. Indeed, as vote-buying is in reality a very unpleasant busi-

ness for many of our most influential politicians,—so much so, that many of them, while directing it, will never themselves take any part in it,—no one will work more actively to make this practice unnecessary than will they, if it can be clearly shown that a change to a better system of carrying elections is practicable.—From "Money in Practical Politics" in October Century.

Influence of Bicycling.

In his article on The Betterment of our Highways in the October number of the *Atlantic Monthly*, Professor N. S. Shaler speaks as follows of the influence of bicycling in the matter:—

The sudden access of interest in the construction of highways which characterizes our time is in good part due to the invention of the bicycle. The wheel carriage propelled by foot power is a relatively old contrivance, but until the last quarter of a century the machine adhered to the old type of the four-wheeled vehicle. It required the hardy spirit of our time to lead the inventor to the conjecture that a man might ride on but two wheels. In its social importance the bicycle deserves to rank next to the railway and the telegraph, among the inventions of our waning century. The use of these instruments, the number of which is probably now to be reckoned by the million, affords to those who employ them constant object lessons as to the condition of our highways. Where a man is drawn by a horse, he needs to have a very keen sympathy with his beast in order to perceive how apparently slight differences in the condition of the roadway may greatly vary the amount of strain which is put upon the propelling agent. When, however, his own thews are employed, every little accident of the way makes a distinct impress on his body. Thus every cyclist becomes a critic of the highways he traverses; and as these people are scattered far and wide over the land, and are of a station to make themselves efficient developers of public opinion, we have through their art gained a very stimulating influence in favor of better roads.

Prof. G. F. Wright's Book.

It is an interesting book that Prof. Wright of Oberlin Theological Seminary has given us concerning the age of the earth. He does not accept the common modern scientific theory that its age is reckoned by the multi-millions, though of course he does not urge any such doctrine as that of the early unscientific dogmatists, that it is counted by the thousands. According to Lyell, the origin of life upon the globe dates back to 500 million years. Darwin estimated that, from the erosion of the Wealden deposits in England, the time requisite to do that was 306 million years, and he spoke of that as "a mere trifle." On the other hand, Sir William Thompson and our own Prof. Newcomb figured out mathematically that the radiation of heat from the sun has been diminishing at such a rate that ten or twelve million years ago it must have been so hot that not a drop of water could have existed upon its surface, except in the form of steam. As between these positions and his own studies, Prof. Wright concludes that we must begin geological life within a few million years, and he places the glacial period within 25,000 years.—*Boston Journal*.

A Handful of Lavender.

By Lizette Woodworth Reese. Houghton Mifflin & Co. For sale at the Andover Bookstore.

There is a promise of sweet lavender in the very covers of this dainty book; we seem almost to detect its faint odor as we turn the leaves, and to enjoy whiffs of mint thyme and violet flags from the Baltimore market. It is pleasant to relate that Miss Reese, contrary to the familiar proverb, finds much honor in her native city of Baltimore, and is so well beloved that the first edition of "The Handful of Lavender" was almost immediately exhausted. The verse of Miss Reese is so graceful in expression and so true to Nature that we are carried wherever she leads us. If asked which poem of the months seemed sweetest and most appropriate, we should reply the month of reading, whenever that might be. The bits of verse on "Doubt," "A Wind-flower" and "Immortality" are of a most original turn of thought and aptly expressed. Of the longer poems, the sweet picture of "Anne" in Sudbury Meeting House, 1653, "Sunset" and "Daffodils" are painted most deftly, and we like to follow her "Long sunny lane and pike" where

"The blackberry blossoms are above, above,
Hiding the rough-hewn rails 'neath drifts of snow."
Sometimes a little sudden wind doth pass,
And all the air is full of flying flakes
It seems but yesterday they blew as sweet
Down old school ways, and thrilled me with delight.
And reaching out for them, I heard the feet,
Glad creek go spinning o'er its pebbles bright,
Ah, well! Ah, well! even now, long as they last,
I am a child again; joy holds me fast."
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CONDENSED NEWS.

Friday, Oct. 7.

An editor was killed in a duel at Patria, Venezuela.
A cigarette factory was burned in New York; loss \$250,000.
A death was caused by an electric wire Springfield, Mass.
The Portuguese quarantine against New York has been raised.
Negro outlaws committed murder and robbery at Terry, Miss.
The steamer Panama arrived at Havana in a damaged condition.
Several buildings were burned at Parand, Ark.; loss \$75,000.
The ten Canadian sealers seized by Russia were valued at \$76,000.
French troops in Dahomey are about to form a native stronghold.
General Clarkson claims New York for the Republicans.

The yearling Carazo at Lexington paced quarter in 31 3/4 seconds.
A brass foundry and lumber yard were destroyed by fire at Jersey City.
A receiver has been appointed to settle the affairs of the Helping Hand.
The Warren liner Ottoman has now killed the H. M. Whitney for damages.
The explosion of a lamp caused the fatal burning of a mother and child at Brookline.

The Unitarian conference at Milwaukee closed the Sunday opening of the World's Fair.
Both the Harvard and Yale tennis players were defeated in the matches at New Haven.

In the intercollegiate tennis match at New Haven Wrenn of Harvard was defeated.

Chief Wade of the Massachusetts police wants more inspectors to enforce the "sweat-shop" law.

Brown is the only college which has not sustained defeat in the intercollegiate tennis tournament.

The New York Yacht club is to consider the Earl of Dunraven's challenge for the America's cup on Oct. 18.

The London Chronicle says Carnegie had better bestow his wealth on his American employees, rather than on public libraries in Scotland.

The appeal of the Jew baiting rector, Ahlwardt, against the decision of the consistory court in his libel suit, has been rejected, and Ahlwardt has been placed under arrest.

OBITUARY.

Vice Admiral Reinhard, stationed at Wilhelmshaven, Germany, died of paralysis.

Frederick H. Piper, 58 years of age, a member of the well-known leather firm of Frederick H. Piper & Co., Boston, died suddenly in his private office, of heart disease.

Saturday, Oct. 8.

French troops defeated the Dahomeyans.
There was an earthquake at Hot Springs, Ark.

A new typesetting machine is to be put on the market.

Two mine employees were smothered at Pine Creek, Pa.

Starvation and fever are reported in the interior of Mexico.

The diphtheria epidemic at East Douglass, Mass., is abating.

Nelson lowered his 2:13 1/4 record by a second and a half at Trenton.

The steamer Vera Cruz, on a rock near Vera Cruz, has gone to pieces.

Professor Pickering reports the discovery of forty small lakes in Mars.

Sprigs of ivy were worn throughout Ireland Thursday in honor of Parnell.

Mitchell, the prize fighter, was sentenced to jail at London for assault.

James F. Doyle, aged 2, was struck and killed by an electric car at New Haven.

Herbert Wilson was killed by a train while crossing the track at Cambridge Junction, Vt.

A dispatch from Admiral Walker confirms the report of General Crispien's victory in Venezuela.

An attempt was made to blow up a non-union boarding house at Homestead, Pa., with dynamite.

The trial trip over the Haverhill and Amesbury (Mass.) electric road will be made in about a week.

Frank Walker of Phillips, Me., brakeman on the Phillips and Rangeley railroad, was killed by his head striking a post.

No cars are now running on the Worcester and Millbury (Mass.) street railroad.

An injunction has been served on the president.

A notable gathering of literary men and women, guests of the Whittier club, occurred at the poet's birthplace at Haverhill, Mass.

Owing to the fact that Lord Dunraven's challenge for the America's cup conflicts with the deed of gift, an international race is unlikely.

Dr. Anderson, physical director of the Yale gymnasium, will be appointed instructor of physical culture in the public schools of New Haven.

OBITUARY.

Thomas Woolner, the sculptor, died at London. He was born in 1836.

Hon. J. R. Reding, a life long Democrat, died at Portsmouth, N. H., aged 87.

Sunday, Oct. 9.

Pinkham's block, Winthrop, Me., was badly damaged by fire.

Glanders has broken out among horses in Norwalk, Conn., and adjoining towns.

Augustus Bailey of Gardiner, Me., has been nominated for inspector of prisons and jails.

Bandmaster Clappe of West Point is a prominent applicant for the leadership of Illinois's band.

Josiah L. Cobb of Winthrop, Me., a war veteran, aged 50, committed suicide by shooting himself.

The Goodnow building, near the old railroad station in Houlton, Me., was burned; loss \$10,000.

William Beebe of Springfield, Mass., was killed by a train on the Athol branch of the Boston and Albany.

Ex-Senator B. F. Brickett declined the Democratic senatorial nomination in the Fourth Massachusetts district.

Monday, Oct. 10.

Rev. Dr. Storrs has been re-elected president of the American Board of Missions.

Frank Maley of Leominster, Mass., fell from a train near New Haven and had his right leg and left foot cut off, resulting in death.

Charles H. Wheeler, who murderously assaulted his wife recently at Central Village, Conn., has been arrested, and will be arraigned at Norwich.

The school committee of Framingham, Mass., decided to bring before the town

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the question of the purchase of land and the erection of a new high school.

As a freight train was passing through Plainfield, Conn., some one discharged a gun and several shot took effect in the face of a brakeman named Saunders.

The Brewer (Me.) branch of the order of the Iron Hall has decided not to send the money in its treasury to the receiver at Indianapolis, but to divide it among its members.

OBITUARY.

Rev. Joseph Harvey, a venerable evangelist of Pittsfield, N. H., is dead.

Rev. Dr. Israel Perkins Warren died suddenly last night, aged 78 years.

Hon. John R. Reding, a member of the Twenty-seventh congress, at Haverhill, N. H., is dead.

Alfred Browning, aged 85 years, a prominent Barre (Vt.) farmer, died at his home, where he was born.

Rev. James McDougall, Ph. D., president of the York Collegiate Institute, died yesterday at New York. He was 56 years of age, and was president of the York Collegiate Institute since August, 1873.

Tuesday, Oct. 11.

Steamers are no longer required to stop at the Boston quarantine station.

Appraisers have been appointed to estimate the value of the steamer Ottoman.

General Crespo, revolutionary leader, has been proclaimed president of Venezuela.

In the Homestead treason cases Chief Justice Paxson delivered the charge to the grand jury.

Justice Shiras of Pennsylvania was inducted into office in the supreme court at Washington.

Stockholders of the Lynn and Boston Railroad company voted to increase the capital stock.

The trial of "Yankee Dan" Sullivan for the murder of Anthony S. Haswell has begun at Providence.

Fred H. Macomber, in charge of the freight wrecked at Paradise crossing, Salem, Mass., was arrested.

John McDonald, John Ryan and Charles Weedy escaped from the county jail at Bangor, Me., by sawing off a window bar.

G. B. Durkee, a prominent real estate owner and hardware merchant of Barre, Vt., was kicked by a horse and so seriously injured that he may die.

James Frank Lee, a wealthy New York man of leisure, shot himself, Mrs. Emilia Wright and an elevator boy, while suffering from delirium tremens.

Daniel Sullivan, an employee of a jewelry manufacturing firm of North Attleboro Mass., was seriously burned while opening a carboy of nitric acid, and may lose an eye.

Wednesday, Oct. 12.

The State bank at Arkalon, Kan., has suspended.

French line steamers are to resume sailing from Havre.

The Big Four yardmen at Columbus, O., have gone out.

El Diablo won the Lowther stakes at Newmarket, Eng.

The Crescent steel works of Pittsburgh have reduced wages.

A flouring mill was destroyed by fire at Frederick City, Md.

A rehearing is asked for Coughlin, one of the Cronin murderers.

Lester Butterfield, 7 years old, is missing from his home at Saco, Me.

The dispute over General Butler's book is to be referred to the full bench of the supreme court.

Judge Almy has begun an inquiry into the cause of the Pittsburgh railroad accident at West Cambridge, Mass.

The people of Baton Rouge, La., are to ask reimbursement for the burning of their homes during the war.

The nineteenth annual convention of the New Hampshire Woman's Christian Temperance union opened at Laconia.

A central convocation of the Protestant Episcopal church was held in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Clinton, Mass.

General Charles W. Stevens of Nashua has been reappointed on the board of managers of the New Hampshire soldiers' home.

John Pilling has purchased two acres of land on Pawtucket street, Lowell, Mass., on which he will erect a four-story shoe factory, 200 feet long.

At a meeting of the governor and council of New Hampshire, George W. Colbath was reappointed warden, Dr. G. A. Clarke physician, and Rev. G. R. Wilkins chaplain of the state prison.

Thursday, Oct. 13.

There was a heavy snowstorm at Denver.

A new cabinet has been formed in Argentina.

Flour mills were destroyed by fire at Lockport, N. Y.

Another great railroad strike is threatened at St. Louis.

The explosion in a boiler at Orono, Me., killed three men.

Contracts for ocean mail service to Brazil have been signed.

A Columbus exhibition was opened at the Boston public library.

Lord Tennyson's body was deposited in the chapel at Westminster Abbey.

The tenth annual Indian conference was opened at Mohonk Lake, N. Y.

While inspecting the Durango mine in Colorado one of the owners was killed.

An escaped convict from Deer Island (Boston) was arrested in Portland, Me.

Pacer Grover S was poisoned at a Philadelphia track to keep him from winning.

Only two Republican candidates for congress are in the field in South Carolina.

Henry Poor & Son of Boston, leather manufacturers, are to pay their creditors in full.

The Clark institution at Northampton, Mass., is celebrating its twenty-fifth anniversary.

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BOSTON TO ANDOVER. A. M. 6.00 acc. arrive in Andover, 7.02; 7.30 acc. ar. 8.23; 9.30 acc. ar. 10.24; 10.25 acc. ar. 11.30; 11.30 acc. ar. 12.32 P. M. 12.00 ex. ar. 12.50; 12.30 ex. ar. 1.09; 2.15 ex. ar. 3.04; 2.26 acc. ar. 3.42; 3.20 ex. ar. 4.05; 4.02 acc. ar. 5.00 5.00 ex. ar. 5.45; 6.00 ex. ar. 6.47; 6.35 acc. ar. 7.31; 7.00 acc. ar. 7.52; 11.15 ex. ar. 12.02 SUNDAY: A. M. 8.00 acc. ar. 9.06; 11.45 ar. 12.40 P. M. 5.00 acc. ar. 6.14; 6.00 ex. ar. 6.47; 7.30 acc. ar. 8.25.

ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A. M. 7.43 arrive in Lowell 8.35; 8.33 ar. 9.03; 9.47 ar. 10.36; 10.30 ar. 11.08; 11.10 ar. 11.43 P. M. 12.37 ar. 1.07; 2.44 ar. 3.17; 4.25 ar. 5.07; 5.50 ar. 6.17; 7.11 ar. 7.45; 9.40 ar. 10.10 SUNDAY: A. M. 7.45 ar. 8.12; 8.33 ar. 9.19 P. M. 12.20 ar. 12.56; 4.32 ar. 5.01; 5.58 ar. 6.36; 6.57 ar. 7.28; 9.14 ar. 9.40.

LOWELL TO ANDOVER. A. M. 8.30 ar. 8.55; 9.20 ar. 10.24; 10.55 ar. 11.30 P. M. 12.30 ar. 12.50; 1.00 ar. 1.25; 3.05 ar. 3.42; 13.25 ar. 4.05; 6.10 ar. 6.45; 6.15 ar. 6.47; 6.55 ar. 7.31; 11.30 ar. 12.02 SUNDAY: 8.20 ar. 9.05 P. M. 12.05 ar. 12.40; 5.35 ar. 6.14; 7.50 ar. 8.25.

ANDOVER TO LAWRENCE. A. M. 7.02, 8.23, 8.55, 10.24, 11.30 P. M. 12.32, 12.50, 1.09, 1.25, 3.04, 3.42, 4.05, 5.00, 5.45, 6.47, 7.31, 7.52 SUNDAY: A. M. 8.06 P. M. 12.40, 6.14, 6.47, 8.25.

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The Townsman's Wooden Wedding.

We send to every subscriber of the TOWNSMAN with their to-day's paper, a copy of our souvenir "A Wooden Wedding." Its pages will quickly explain themselves as a review of the past five years of newspaper history in Andover. To-day we enter upon a new volume, with facilities better than ever and five years of experience to help in making volume six no exception to the past four volumes, each better than its predecessor.

The increasing subscription list, the many new advertisers, and the exclusive communications sent to our columns every week, all show what hold the TOWNSMAN has upon the community. We shall strive to continue to merit this confidence in even a larger measure. Our watchword will be news, not gossip, and our community's best good. May we urge our readers to be free to criticize, and to contribute to our columns. We may not follow every direction as to how to run the paper that we may receive, but we shall carefully consider such directions at all times. The TOWNSMAN was started as a revolt against sensationalism and petty gossip, and its success proves that the large majority of readers construe news in the same manner that we do. While wooden weddings are not so rare as the silver and golden anniversaries they are more interesting because marking the first period of pleasant life. We do not believe that the TOWNSMAN's silver wedding can give to its publishers nearly so much pleasure as does to-day's anniversary when it marks its five years of conflict with some prejudice and opposition now almost entirely overcome, and five years of loyal support and interest on the part of so many whose number is each week growing larger.

The communication in another column calls attention to the conduct of a boy, who has, and is still giving our school authorities a good deal of trouble. We refer to the Piddington boy, whose villainous, rudeness and general conduct is such as to seem to call for some action other than mere reprimand. While he has been controlled heretofore in other schools by the aid of the rod, he has for several years been the thorn in the flesh of many of our school teachers. An interview with Supt. Baldwin elicits the fact that the committee are now doing what they can to keep him apart from the other scholars, by keeping him in at recess, after school, etc. We sincerely hope that this may be proven the proper method of dealing with the case. There is some good in every person; if the school committee and teachers can find the key to the good in this youth and lay the foundation of a man in him we bid him God-speed; but if it is done at the cost of cultivating foul tongues, untruthfulness, profanity, and general vulgarity in a score of other boys, if done at the cost of shattered nerves, insults, and terrible frights for a score of young girls, then we believe the cost far too great to allow of the risk in the present method. Let us be understood as not less anxious for the good of the one boy, but rather more anxious for the good of the hundreds of others with whom he comes in contact.

Postmaster Marland is giving a trial to the suggestion in these columns last week, that another window be opened for general delivery. The trial so far is understood to be very satisfactory. Now let everybody turn as much patronage into the office as possible, and free delivery will be the next improvement.

Another Andover boy and a Punchard boy gets a high honor this week in the call of Rev. E. W. Donald, D. D., son of Wm. C. Donald of this town, to the rectorship of Trinity Church, Boston.

Tennyson.

The death of the poet-laureate of England, Alfred, Lord Tennyson, at the venerable age of nearly 83, leaves a void in the world of letters which the present generation is not likely to see filled. Indeed many critics have ranked him, next to Shakespeare, as the greatest poet of his native land, so prolific in genius during the past three hundred years. The coincidence of his decease with that of Whittier, America's leading writer of verse, is notable; but Tennyson was immeasurably the greater of the two in art, though not in tenderness of spirit or depth of earnestness. Whittier was a product of democracy, a man of the people and a radical reformer. Tennyson was an aristocrat

by nature, a hater of the "vulgar herd" and raised his voice in aid of no contemporary movement for the betterment of mankind. He was elegant and polished, but too dainty for the practical work of lifting the masses. His best known and most popular productions were "In Memoriam," "Locksley Hall" (with a sequel not so popular), "The May Queen," "Godiva," "Enoch Arden," and "Idylls of the King." In old age he was raised to the peerage, but his influence in parliament was nil. As a playwright he was not successful, his "Queen Mary" having fallen flat on the public taste. Indisputably he has earned his place among the worthies interred at Westminster Abbey, but his fame must repose on intellectual rather than on moral achievements. He has not profoundly moved the nineteenth century; the twentieth, therefore, may forget or ignore him.

Were Robert Browning still alive, he would unquestionably have inherited the laureateship. His admirers have always claimed his supremacy over poets in this generation. Among surviving English writers of verse, William Morris and Algernon Charles Swinburne are respectable in rank; but the former is a socialist, and the latter has offended royalty (as well as many readers in the lower walks of life) by his unbridled license of sentiment at times. On whom Tennyson's official mantle will fall is very problematical.

Two Important Gatherings.

Our reference to the meeting of the American Board last week, was necessarily imperfect, since its sessions were still in progress when the TOWNSMAN was printed. It proved to be, as we before intimated, one of the most important gatherings of this venerable and useful organization in recent years. Andover made a sturdy stand for more freedom than has prevailed in the policy of the Board during the past decade; and while its representatives, Prest. Smyth and Dr. Quint, nominally failed to carry their point, they have battered the fortifications so effectively and skilfully that it is evidently only a question of time when the present possessors of the ancient defenses must surrender to the modern spirit. Rev. Dr. A. H. Bradford, who lectured here last season and is again to be heard at the Seminary during the ensuing winter, was an able ally of the liberal wing; while the redoubtable Joseph Cook, an alumnus of Andover, dealt some heavy blows on the other side. Rev. C. A. Dickinson of Berkeley Temple, Boston, a graduate of Phillips Academy and Andover Seminary, who some years ago was elected on the prudential committee to supersede Prest. Smyth, sent a sharp letter, in which he declined a re-election, as he was not in accord with the present narrow administration of the foreign-mission work. His church, it will be remembered, took up the cause of Rev. Mr. Noyes, who was rejected from the Japanese mission by the ruling powers in the Board, and is now maintaining him in that field. The defection of Mr. Dickinson has carried some dismay into the conservative ranks, and the liberals are correspondingly elated.

Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs of Brooklyn was re-elected president of the Board, but would not accept the office until his course during the past year had been endorsed by a formal resolution, which was passed. This action has manifestly widened the breach between the Board and the Seminary; as Prest. Smyth has criticised Prest. Storrs' administration in some trenchant articles in the *Andover Review* during the last summer. The defeat of Dr. Quint, also, an Andover visitor, for re-election on the prudential committee, is an ominous indication of the same feeling. The almost unanimous wish of the churches, as expressed in many conventions of late, for more direct representation in the management of the Board, has been partially conceded. The next annual meeting is to be held in October, 1893, at Worcester, Mass., when the contest will no doubt once more be renewed.

At Minneapolis, Minn., this week, the Triennial National Council of the Congregational churches is being held. As it does not conclude its deliberations until next Monday, and as the opening sessions have been largely devoted to preliminaries of less general interest than business which is to follow, we reserve our comments on its proceedings until after its adjournment. We may say, however, *en passant*, that we look for a more favorable outcome than from its predecessor, already reviewed (the American Board), because it is more directly in touch with the rank and file of the denomination. It is not a close corporation, and its membership, like its constituency, is actuated by the best motives of the present hour.

The celebrations in honor of Columbus have been inaugurated, this week, in many places. The most notable event of the kind was at New York. Next Sunday has been designated by

the Evangelical Alliance as a special date for religious observances all over our land, and clergymen are especially invited to preach on the subject of popular education. On Friday of next week the actual anniversary of the ever-memorable Discovery will be celebrated by the public schools of America, and at Chicago the Exposition buildings will be dedicated with imposing ceremonies. Andover school-children will have an appropriate program, in the Town Hall, to which the public are invited.

An important new step has been taken in regard to the Homestead riots. The grand jury at Pittsburgh have reported bills for treason against the thirty-three members of the advisory committee of the Amalgamated workmen. Many of them have been arrested, and their trial will follow. The penalty for treason against the State of Pennsylvania is not capital, but involves a long imprisonment. H. C. Frick and other representatives of the Carnegie company, and the Pinkerton detectives have been indicted for murder and conspiracy.

Election Officers.

The Selectmen at a meeting held Tuesday afternoon appointed the following election officers:

Precinct 1, Wardens.—Barnett Rogers, John J. Sweeney.
Inspectors.—F. B. Jenkins, W. P. Regan.
Deputy Inspectors.—E. E. Trefry, Harry A. Ramsdell.
Clerk.—Frederick A. Boutwell.
Precinct 2, Wardens.—John Davey, Howell F. Wilson.
Inspectors.—Lawrence F. Riley, Nathan S. Means.
Deputy Inspectors.—W. S. Clemons, Daniel H. Poor.
Clerk.—Chas. H. Shattuck, Jr.

At the same time James H. Purre was appointed a police officer to serve without pay, at the request of W. F. Draper, treasurer of Abbot Academy.

Report from Chicago.

A special meeting of the Society of Inquiry at the Seminary will be held in Bartlet chapel to-night (Friday) at 7 o'clock, to receive a report of the recent meeting of the A. B. C. F. M. in Chicago, from Prest. E. C. Smyth. Dr. Smyth will doubtless give a racy and interesting account, as he attended all the sessions and took part in some of the principal debates. While this meeting is intended primarily for the students and faculty, any other persons who care to do so, will be welcome to attend.

To Interested Parents.

There seems to be considerable misapprehension on the part of parents regarding the need of careful and thorough preparation on the part of a child in each grade before passing to the next grade. This is shown by some requests made by parents to teachers. One requests that John be passed from the room in which the teachers have seen fit to place him to the second room beyond. Now these parents are interested in the welfare of their children and desire to have them push along through school, and this is certainly a very commendable spirit. If this spirit would only develop just a little more so that these same parents would visit the schools, hear their children recite, find out their weak points and encourage them to study on those at home pupils and teachers would get an inspiration such as they have not had for a long time.

Teachers and parents would come to know each other better and work together for the good of the children. Parents would find that we have a very earnest, conscientious lot of teachers, teachers who are as anxious for the advancement and well being of the children as are the parents themselves; teachers who are glad to know of the home life of the child, and the ambitions of the parents, and to consider these, as far as possible, in giving the child his rank. Teachers and superintendent are always glad to see people who come to talk about their children, if only they come in a friendly manner, and having explained their desires, are willing to leave the decision to those whose business and profession it is to decide in what grade the child will do the best work.

In as much as people will not visit the schools as much as they should the following plan has been approved by the School Board for the ensuing year. As soon as it becomes apparent that a pupil is getting behind in some particular study or studies, the superintendent and parents will be informed, that unless better work is done in said study the said child will fail to pass. If no change occurs other notices will follow, and thus the parent will have an opportunity to assist the child, and so perhaps get him through. At the end of the year while the work of the year and the standing of the pupils are fresh in mind the pupils will be assigned to the proper grades for the ensuing year. Doubtful cases will be discussed fully by the superintendent and teacher in charge and the pupil will be put where it is thought he can get the most. Whenever, during the year, the teachers think that a pupil can do the work of the next higher grade such pupil will be promoted by the superintendent.

Very respectfully,
W. A. BALDWIN, Supt.

Gumption.

Editor of Townsman:

DEAR SIR:—Will you grant the undersigned a few lines of your valuable sheet that he may bring to the attention of the citizens, and especially the parents, of Andover a very important matter. But for the importance of it he would have preferred to be silent. For the want of a better title the above has been chosen. A noted writer defined gumption to be the art of not making a greater ass of one's self than one is by nature.

The writer chanced to read sections twenty-one and thirty-four of the school report of '91, which are as follows: "It shall be the duty of all teachers, in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth, to exert their best endeavors to impress on the minds of the children and youth committed to their care and instructions the principles of piety and justice, and a sacred regard for truth, love of their country, humanity and universal benevolence, sobriety, industry, and frugality, chastity, moderation and temperance, etc."

"When the conduct, example, or general influence of a scholar becomes very injurious, and his reformation appears hopeless, and he manifests a determined disregard of the rules and good order of the school, he may be expelled by a vote of the school board, etc."

There is a case in our midst which comes under section 34 of said report, which it may be well for the members of the school board to read, and which has been repeatedly brought to the attention of the committee by the proper persons, and which has been totally disregarded. Our children in the primary school are exposed to the corrupting influence of a boy of thirteen, who by the statement of said primary principal is the source of untold villainies. The school board are waiting for him to do something definite before excluding him, so it is said, and yet when something definite is reported they content themselves in assigning to the principal of the school, as well as the janitor, the pleasant task of "watch dog." Rumors of this villain have come to the writer's ears some two years since. In the meantime, while in the room of Miss Smith, he was dismissed, but for the same offences which are only aggravated by the intensity of his depravity he is permitted to insult and corrupt the other children until he commit some crime for which he may be sent where he properly belongs for his own good and the welfare of the children of our school. On Monday he insulted a little girl only eight years of age, and whose father made inquiries and obtained a confession from the scapegrace, himself, which he duly reported to the proper authority, and yet no action. It was stated that if he were taken out of school he would run the streets and become worse. If he commits the same offences on the streets he can and would be summarily dealt with. Evidences of this fellow's corruption can be counted by the scores, and still there is no protection to the children who are helpless in his contaminating presence. For the sake of the good name of our school, for the sake of the children, for the sake of the possible reformation of this vile fellow he ought not to be tolerated among our children. If his parents cannot control him he should be put where he belongs.

The writer has endeavored calmly to appeal to the citizens, and especially to the parents, for that public sentiment which will quicken the backbone of the school committee so that they may exercise a little gumption.

A CITIZEN AND A FATHER.

A Literary Event.

The literary event of November in Boston will be the series of lecture readings on the early English dramatists by Mrs. Erving Winslow, under the auspices of that clever body of women, the N. E. W. P. A. A more interesting series of plays could scarcely be comprised in eight lectures. Beginning with the miracle plays, the series of twenty will include the principal works of the Elizabethan dramatists, "The Tempest" of Shakespeare and ending with the fascinating comedies "She Stoops to Conquer" and "The School for Scandal." Madrigals and glees given under the direction of Mr. Thayer will give an added charm to the readings. Mrs. Winslow opens the lectures at Pierce Hall, Copley Square, Oct. 31, at 11 o'clock.

The King's Daughters.

Rev. A. F. Schaffner's stereopticon lecture in the South Church next Thursday will be well worth an effort to see. Dr. Schaffner is the well-known contributor to the *Sunday School Times*, and planned to deliver the lecture himself, but his engagements prevented his leaving New York on that date and he will send a gentleman who has often filled the lecture engagements the Dr. could not meet. This lecture was given in Tremont Temple three years ago and is in great demand all over the country. It is given here under the auspices of a circle of "The King's Daughters" who would be gratified and helped in their work by having their friends fill the vestry at supper and the church in the evening. Mrs. Bailey will sing "The Gypsy Boy" and "Ninety and Nine" (by request). All who have heard Mrs. Bailey know what that means. No admission is asked. All are invited, but a contribution, proportionate to each one's enjoyment of the evening, will be gratefully and carefully expended in their work. Supper will be served in the vestry from 5.30 to 7 at 25 cents a plate. Lecture at 7.30.

Another Republican Rally.

The Republican Club held a very successful rally Tuesday night. About 7.15 o'clock, the Boys battalion in new uniforms, and the new Republican Club battalion, headed by the Andover Brass Band, marched up Main Street to Phillips Academy where over 100 members of the Phillips Club were met and escorted by way of School and Morton Streets to the Town Hall. The whole procession then proceeded to the residence of James B. Smith, where the speakers, Charles H. Litchman of Marblehead and W. H. Baker of Boston had been enjoying an informal reception with prominent republicans of the town. They were escorted to the Town Hall, which was immediately well filled with an enthusiastic audience. The gallery was taken up by ladies.

James B. Smith, president of the Republican Club, presided and expressed regret at the necessary absence of J. Otis Wardwell who had been advertised to speak and who was detained by the death of his father.

Mr. Baker, a young lawyer of Boston, was presented as the first speaker and in course of his remarks he said:

This is a campaign of facts and figures, based on the Republican side upon solid argument, on the Democratic side upon slander, abuse and misrepresentation. I have yet to find in Tammany Chief Cochran's great speech in Boston one single argument based upon fact. It was an eloquent appeal, considering the material he had to work with.

The McKinley bill has reduced prices and under its operation the country has seen prosperity as never before. The Democratic orators two years ago were crying down the billion dollar congress and raging about the surplus. I ask you where the surplus has gone? It has been paid to soldiers, the navy, and for payment of the war debt. The Democratic party in Massachusetts to-day has nothing to talk about. It is a party of obstructionists.

The labor commissioner of New York, one of Cleveland's appointments, issued his report, which showed an increase in wages and manufactures. What was the result of this report? Did you ever look on such a spectacle? A man who had gained the confidence of manufacturers and laboring men: What did they do to him? Did what they always do, struck from behind, and persecuted and prosecuted poor Peck. When the Democratic party stoops to such things it must be on its last legs for food to carry on the campaign.

They say the protective tariff is unconstitutional. Daniel Webster, Andrew Jackson and Thomas Jefferson said it was constitutional. Who says it is not? Josiah Quincy and Gov. Russell of Massachusetts. But the idea of comparing these men with Webster and Jefferson. If it was constitutional then, why is it not now?

In closing I ask you to vote for Benjamin Harrison, who has upheld with dignity the American flag, who has protected America in a foreign port, who when the seal question was being agitated, wired Lord Salisbury that "the American people had never been dictated to by a foreign potentate and it was too late to begin now," who in time of the war did not send a substitute. He is the man I ask you to vote for.

Mr. Litchman was received with loud applause and after speaking of the pleasant sight in seeing so many boys and young men present, he said among other things:

"The issue of the campaign of 1892 is the same as that of 1860 viz.: The dignity of American labor. In the time of the war the great and glorious Democratic party stood for slavery, while the Republican party said it was a crime and did not rest until it was swept away. The only government which ever declared the tariff unconstitutional was the constitution of the confederate states. I live in a county which owes its prosperity to product of human toil. The interests of the workingman and employer are reciprocal. You cannot injure one without injuring the other, or benefit one without benefitting the other. Every man rich or poor must have three things—food, shelter and clothing. He may earn, beg, or steal them. Then he is either a workingman, beggar, or thief. The first requisite is to have a place to work. Where is the best chance to get a job, here or 3000 miles away? Which would you rather do, go to Mr. Stevens or to England?

If mills shut down there is less work for the carpenter and bricklayer. Hard times are when three men are seeking one employment, good times when one employer is seeking three men. The policy of the Democratic party would locate the mills in England. They would put a tax on sugar, tea, and coffee, but let manufacturers languish and die if they cannot take care of themselves.

The Republican party will let in free all things which our country cannot produce and tax that which we can produce. It says America is the best place on earth. We will keep what we have got and make it as much better as we can. The Democrats say prosperity in shoe trade is due to free hides. Commissioner Wadlin shows by statistics that of 10 leading industries, the leather industry has languished the most. British shoe men say two things keep us out of America, your tariff and your way of making shoes. When we learn that way we can compete, and they have agents here now learning it.

Production, distribution, and consumption are elements of prosperity. When you strike at the prosperity of one product, you strike at all. We can't grant Mr. Stevens free wool and keep a tariff on his manufactured goods, and the

same with iron, etc. We must stand or fall together. It is of no account to be able to buy clothing at a dollar a suit if you haven't the dollar. Under Republican rule, you always have the money, no matter if things are expensive.

The Democratic party pretends to be the great friend of labor. That makes one smile. You have heard of James Mellen of Worcester, a good, honest friend of labor. In 1879 he dared to get up in a democratic convention and question the fidelity of the candidate for governor on labor matters, but the riot act was read to him. McEtrick of Boston, the best friend of labor the Democrats ever had, has been called down by the party machine. Did you ever think how spottlessly pure a republican must be to suit a democrat. Look at Grover Cleveland's labor record while Governor of New York: veto after veto. He vetoed the bill creating a bureau of statistics, but it was passed over him and he appointed this same terrible Peck."

Mr. Litchman closed with an urgent appeal to every Republican to register. The speakers were escorted to the station after the rally by the full procession. J. W. Berry acted as chief marshal with G. A. Brown and R. A. Watson as aids.

Frye Village.

Ed. Hussey is visiting friends in Harvard.

Miss Clara Bell is enjoying a visit in Boston and Lynn.

Miss Anna McKeague, who has been at the home of J. W. Bell for sometime as nurse, has gone to her home in King's Siding, Quebec, for a four week's visit.

Tuesday afternoon a tube in the boiler at the Smith & Dove Mill burst and the engineer, James Campbell, who was standing in front of the boiler, was thrown across the engine room. He was quite severely shaken up, but not otherwise hurt. A part of the mill was obliged to shut down, but the remainder was run by water power.

John W. Carden, who visited here a short time ago, died very suddenly last week Thursday in Chicago. The cause was heart failure. He was 26 years old. His wife was Mary A. Mountain of this village.

Sunday Services for Oct. 16.

SOUTH CHURCH.—Preaching at 10.30 A.M. and 7.15 P.M. by Prof. E. V. Hincks. Sunday School at noon, and Y.P.S.C.E. meeting after the evening service.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.30 Rev. Frederic Palmer will preach. Second service at 6.

FREE CHURCH.—Sermon at 10.30 by Rev. F. A. Wilson. Sunday School at 12 M. Harvest concert at 6. Y.P.S.C.E. at 7.

CHAPEL.—Morning service at 10.30. Afternoon service at 4.30. Prof. Gulliver will preach.

WEST CHURCH.—Preaching service at 10.30 by Rev. F. W. Greene. Sunday School at 12 M. Evening service at 7 in the vestry, also in Osgood and Abbott districts.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching at 10.30. Sunday School at close of forenoon service. Evening service at 7.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—Services at 8.30 A.M. and 3.30 P.M. 10.30 A.M. High Mass and sermon by Rev. J. J. Ryan.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, BALLARDVALE.—Preaching service at 10.30 A.M., followed by Sunday School. Praise and gospel service at 7 P.M. Communion first Sunday in the month.

BIRTHS.

In Andover, Oct. 11, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. J. Tyler Kimball.

BALLARDVALE.

Harvest Concert at the M. E. Church, Sunday evening.

Mr. J. Y. Takasugi of Japan will lecture on the "Manners, Customs, and Religious Progress of the Japanese," at the M. E. Church next Thursday evening, Oct. 26. Mr. Takasugi has been studying in this country several years as a student in De Pauw and Boston Universities, and is a very interesting speaker.

A fair consisting of a sale and entertainment will be held in Bradley Hall, very soon by the following: Misses Jennie Stark, Nettie Shaw, Grace Clemons, Grace Haynes, Addie Cox and Eva De Seve. The proceeds will go toward the annual Thanksgiving dinner for the poor children of Boston. Further particulars next week.

The house of the Misses Brown is being painted.

Eddie Miller is attending Cannon's Commercial School in Lawrence.

"Columbus Sunday" will be observed at the M. E. Church. The pastor will take for his subject at 10.30 A.M., "The Enterprise Exemplified by Columbus."

Officers Shattuck and Teague were called to quell a disturbance in the "Schooner" block, Saturday night, and taking with them Allan Simpson as an assistant they arrested three men who had smashed the furniture and windows. A fourth party escaped by swimming the river below the mill. The story goes that the officers fired at the fleeing man, but this was not so as a shot was fired in the air to frighten him. Several suspicious characters have been seen here lately but they are being watched.

"C. H. A." in last week's TOWNSMAN spoke in behalf of the Electric road extension to Ballardvale, but we will soon be independent of the M. V. R. R. as a new scheme is to be unfolded in this column next week. If the M. V. R. R. had been sharp they would have obtained a franchise to run here, but their slowness and indifference has probably cost them the chance as will be explained later.

Two barge loads attended the Y. P. S. C. E. husking sociable at the home of Newton Jaquith, Jr., in the Scotland district. It was a very successful affair and Mr. Jaquith did the honors in nice style. A supper was served, and after singing and a social time the party broke up.

Two able Addresses before the Congregational Club.

The Merrimack Valley Congregational Club, in which Andover has a large share of membership, held its first meeting for this season at Trinity Church, Lawrence, Monday night. About 140 persons, including ladies, were present. Among the members present from this town were: J. W. Smith, G. T. Eaton, George D. Pettee, W. A. Trow, John N. Cole, Edward Boutwell, M. S. McCurdy, Hartwell B. Abbott, W. H. Terrill, S. H. Boutwell, and Prof. Ryder.

Notice.

The time tables in this week's TOWNSMAN are not to be relied upon as we overlooked making the recent changes. They will be revised before another issue.

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Slayer of Miss Emerson Captured in New York.

He Was Betrayed by a Friend for \$500. August Langer Must Answer for a Crime Committed More Than a Year Ago.

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—The sequel of that terrible tragedy at Dedham, the murder of Miss Mary Emerson, which thrilled the community a little more than a year ago, took place yesterday, when August Langer was arrested on the charge of murder. His arrest was made by State Detective J. H. Whitney, assisted by Detective Sergeant of the New York police, at 626 Water street, New York.

He had been lodging there for three days with Joseph Gautefuhr, his fellow-countryman, who betrayed his whereabouts to the police, in order to receive the reward of \$500 which was offered for Langer's arrest.

Chief Wade received a telegram from Joseph Gautefuhr, informing him that Langer was in New York and was stopping with him.

Detective Whitney was summoned, and after receiving instructions, left Boston for New York. On reaching New York he called at the house in which Langer was said to have been staying, and there learned from the author of the telegram that Langer came to New York Sunday, hunted up

His Supposed Old Friend, Gautefuhr, and asked permission to stay with him for a few days. It was granted, and he had made his quarters there since, little thinking that the man with whom he crossed the Atlantic would betray him.

Langer was locked up in the tomb, where he will be kept until requisition papers can be obtained for his extradition. Chief Wade at once got together the necessary facts of the murder, and late last night the requisition papers were drawn up at the attorney general's office.

Mr. Pratt was detailed on the case at the time of the murder, and knowing the details of the crime by heart may obtain from the prisoner a confession of the crime.

During the days while the crime was fresh in the minds of the public, Chief Wade concocted a scheme which bore fruit yesterday in the arrest of Langer. Gautefuhr, being

An Intimate Friend of Langer, was always suspected by the police as knowing considerable about the murderer's whereabouts, although he claimed he did not. He was watched, but nothing of any importance was learned. The chief still believed that it would be through him that Langer would be caught, if ever.

One day long after the crime had been committed, and a reward of \$500 had been offered by the selectmen of Dedham, Chief Wade went for Gautefuhr. Informed in his private office Chief Wade collected Gautefuhr that if he was acquainted with Langer's hiding place, it would not be a wise thing for him to keep it quiet. After carefully making this statement he then told him that if he did know where the supposed murderer was hiding he could make \$500 by informing him.

It was not in his power, Gautefuhr said, to tell, but he realized that it was very important that Langer be found. It was Chief Wade's motive

To Frighten the Man to such an extent that he would acquaint him with any information which he obtained, and in his intention he succeeded. Whether from fright or for the reward Gautefuhr has kept his word, no one can tell. The result is that Joseph Gautefuhr betrayed the confidence of a man who trusted him and who is now held on the most serious of all charges—murder.

Chief Wade was seen at his home in Somerville late last night. "Run down at last," he said, "and now the murderer of Miss Emerson will have to stand before the bar of justice. It is the result of hard work and my officers deserve much credit for the excellent manner in which they have executed my orders. "Murder will out," and like all of his class I hope he will receive the punishment which he deserves."

BIG DAY AT MANCHESTER.

Thousands of Strangers Witness a Successful Trades Procession.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Oct. 13.—The record for the number of strangers in town was broken yesterday, 30,000 visitors crowding the streets to witness the merchants' week trades procession. The main shut down to afford the operatives an opportunity to view the sights, and as a result the streets were well nigh blocked with the great crowds.

The procession was the longest ever witnessed here, comprising over 1000 persons, 800 horses, six bands, ten drum corps and floats innumerable. The second, third, fourth and fifth divisions were entirely devoted to the trades professions, representing nearly all the industries of the city, including the big Amoskeag corporation.

Methodist ministers at Sterling, Ill., protested against the Catholic policy in regard to education. Jay Eye See covered a mile in 2:09 at Racine, the fastest ever trotted or paced on a Wisconsin course.

The commonwealth of Massachusetts is to sue the Boston and Albany Railroad company for violating the new mileage law.

A Child Suffocated.

WOLLASTON, Mass., Oct. 11.—A little daughter of Mr. Gates on Berlin street was suffocated by fumes from a gasoline stove, and Mrs. Gates is barely alive at the present time, but may recover. Other members of the family suffered from the fumes, but are not dangerously ill.

Troops Leave Homestead.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 13.—The four companies of militia, members of the Sixteenth regiment, who have been at Homestead since the riots occurred, left for their homes this morning. The sheriff has increased his force of deputies, and no serious difficulty is looked for.

A Novel Petition.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 10.—Attorneys for John Hawley, convicted of the murder of Mary L. Munson, ask for a new trial on the ground that one of the jurors was asleep during the greater part of the trial.

Offered to Reeves.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 11.—D. W. Reeves, the leader of the American Band of Providence, has been tendered the position as leader of Gilmore's band, but has not yet decided to accept.

BIG LOCKOUT INAUGURATED.

Two Thousand Employees of Clothing Manufacturers Are Idle.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—This morning dawned on one of the largest lockouts of union labor by employers in Boston since that of the New England Granite Manufacturers' association last spring. The Clothing Contractors' association of this city have declared war against the United Garment Workers' union, and nearly 3000 garment workers will be thrown out of employment.

The manufacturers, or contractors, held a private meeting in the rooms of one of their number yesterday. The session continued throughout the day, and, after going into every detail, decided to order the lockout. They claim that as for years this practice has been going on there should be no discrimination this year, and go so far as to state that they are prepared to fight all winter in preference to giving in.

Their employees, the manufacturers claim, have been treated with great leniency; nothing unreasonable has been asked of them, and the association has always tried to be on good terms with their help. They also claim that it is impossible to pay the same salaries throughout the year, for the reason that the prices they receive differ, and they do not propose to lose money for the sake of keeping their men.

EXPLOSION OF DIGESTERS

Wrecks a Pulp Mill, Kills Three Employees and Injures Five Others.

ORONO, Me., Oct. 12.—Two large digesters in the Bruger Pulp and Paper company's mill exploded yesterday, causing the loss of three lives and the injury, more or less serious, of five persons. The explosion was without apparent cause, as the digesters were inspected two weeks ago and reported to be in perfect condition. The digester room, 83x93; the steam engine room, 48x31, and the machine room, 131x50, were shattered into masses of debris. One of the mammoth digesters was thrown 300 feet into the air, and huge iron beams, timbers and bricks were scattered hundreds of feet from the site of the buildings. Richard Zein, William Eddy and Walter Smith were killed. Austin Whittemore and William Buchanan were taken out with serious injuries, and Wilson Crosby, H. Farrell and James McQueen were badly injured.

The plant changed hands Oct. 1, and was owned in Boston and Springfield, Mass. The digesters were valued at \$60,000 and were insured against accident. The total loss will reach over \$300,000 and over 150 are deprived of employment.

STRUCK WITH A ROCK.

Murder Alleged to Have Been Committed in Self-Defense.

NEWMARKET, N. H., Oct. 12.—As Emery Taylor was on his way home, at 10:45 last night, he stumbled over the body of James G. W. Davis, a native of Newmarket, in front of the store of A. M. Priest, he having been killed by a rock thrown by John Coley, which hit him on the right side of the head. Officers arrested Coley and William Ham, the latter being held as a witness.

Coley admitted the crime, but claims to have done it in self-defense. He says Davis knocked him down and afterward drew a revolver, chasing him across the street. He warned Davis to go back, but he persisted in following him. Being unarmed, Coley picked up a large stone, which he threw at Davis, falling him to the ground. Davis was 45 years old. He leaves a widow and two children. Coley is a married man and has a large family.

A DEFAULTING TAX COLLECTOR

To Be Proceeded Against by the Citizens of Oxford, Me.

LEWISTON, Me., Oct. 10.—There is great excitement in the town of Oxford over the defaulting of Tax Collector Chadbourne, and a special town meeting voted to instruct the selectmen to employ counsel and proceed against the defaulting tax collector and old board of selectmen. The story of the affair is a complicated one. John W. Chadbourne was one of the leading men in Oxford county, and is very popular, his friends comprising the best element of the town. Some think he will have to go to Thomaston, where the cooly do not. Chadbourne takes the matter coolly. The amount of the shortage is something over \$3000.

RHODE ISLAND DEMOCRATS

Adopt a Platform and Nominate Page and Lapham for Congress.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 13.—The Democratic state and congressional convention met in Music hall, with a large attendance. Three hundred delegates were present. After several encouraging speeches from leading men of the party, a platform was adopted in which the people of Rhode Island were congratulated upon the nominations of Grover Cleveland and Adlai E. Stevenson as the Democratic candidates for president and vice president.

Hon. Charles Page and Colonel Lapham were nominated for congress. The following presidential electors were chosen: Rowland Hazard of South Kingston, Joseph Hannigan of Providence, Nathaniel B. Church of Tiverton, General Olney Arnold of Pawtucket.

Lynching Bee May Result.

SEDALIA, Mo., Oct. 13.—While Miss Gruber, daughter of reputable and prominent people, was alone in the family residence, a negro knocked at the door and asked for food. Finding the young lady alone, the negro forced his way into the house and assaulted Miss Gruber. He was pursued and captured, and is strongly guarded, as lynching is threatened.

Prison for Life.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 10.—Guilty of murder in the second degree was the verdict rendered by the jury in the Hawley murder trial. Judge Fenn sentenced the prisoner to state prison for life. Attorney Williams gave notice of an appeal. The jury was out five hours and thirty-five minutes, and a disagreement was expected.

A Decidedly Violent Man.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Oct. 12.—In the Biddeford court, Michael Murtagh, on the charge of drunkenness and assaulting his wife, was sentenced to jail for thirty days. On leaving the court room he stopped to speak to his wife, and struck her a violent blow. Judge Cram then bound him over to the supreme court.

A Serious Mistake.

MILLBRIDGE, Me., Oct. 10.—Ephraim Turner, while in the woods near Millbridge, was shot and seriously wounded by George Mitchell, who mistook him for a deer. It is thought that Turner will recover.

Life Still in the Balance.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—No change is reported in Mrs. Harrison's condition.

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The Wonder to the Mariner of Today Is
How the Navigator Crossed the Ocean
in His Little Caravel—A Facsimile for
the World's Fair.

Spain is now in the midst of a series of fetes in commemoration of the discovery of America which will last till late in October. On the 3d of August, date of the sailing of Columbus from Palos, the jubilation began, and of all the sights the exact reproduction of the flagship of Columbus, the Santa Maria, excited most amazement. Among the sailors in the vast gathering there was a loud chorus of astonishment and unbelief. Almost unanimously they declared that such a ship had not done the thing—it was impossible.



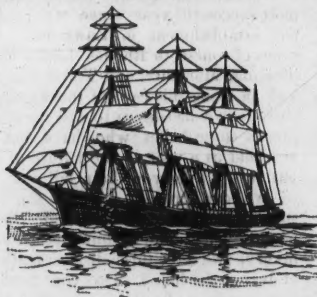
THE NEW SANTA MARIA.

It is indeed hard to believe that the little caravel of 240 tons at the outside could have made such a voyage, and when one compares it with the large sailing vessels of today he may well be incredulous. With the achievements of steam and practical science we are tolerably familiar, but the fact then (though sailing vessels antedate written history, the progress therein since 1492 is as great as in anything else) comes to one as a great surprise. Compare the little Santa Maria with, for instance, the magnificent Shenandoah, the American four masted bark and queen of all sailing vessels, which a few months ago went from San Francisco to Liverpool with 5,000 tons of wheat on board.

Consider first the big sailer. The Shenandoah, commanded by Captain Murphy, was one of the five which left the Bay of San Francisco last year on the famous race around the Horn. They sailed at high tide, of necessity, as they drew twenty-seven feet of water. The weight of wheat aboard, 5,000 tons, was the greatest cargo of the kind ever placed in a vessel and equivalent to 166,733 bushels, or the crop of an average agricultural county. An adequate description of the Shenandoah would fill a column. Sailer as she is, she "makes sail by steam," as sailors say—that is, the sails are pulled into place by a little donkey engine, and of all glorious sights to the seaman's eye there is none more glorious than to see her swell from bare poles to full rig of snowy sails in less than five minutes.

The Santa Maria might have been placed on the deck of the Shenandoah without adding perceptibly to her weight of cargo. She was a decked vessel, and while the Spanish historians do not deal in exact measurements they are so minute in details of her capacity that her size is known. Captain Gustavus W. Fox, after a very careful calculation, declares that her length was "68 feet over all and 57 feet along her keel," with 20 feet beam and 10½ feet in depth. Her crew consisted of fifty seamen, and in the list are found the names of one Englishman and one Irishman. It is really a pity that this list is not certainly authentic; it would be interesting to know the name of the first Irish emigrant to America. This historic vessel was wrecked on Christmas eve, 1492, on the coast of Hispaniola, a calamity due to the gross carelessness of the sailing master.

Small as she was, her consort, the Pinta and the Nina, were considerably smaller, being mere barks, called caravels, without decks, unless the high prow and stern may be so called. In the



THE SHENANDOAH.

sender such a vessel was absolutely open and in no respect superior to the fishing craft and other light coasting vessels of today. That men should have been willing to dare the passage of the stormy Atlantic in such craft gives us a high idea of their courage, and as a matter of fact only Columbus, Las Casas, the Pinzons and two or three other mad enthusiasts were willing. The crew consisted chiefly of desperate characters compelled to take the trip. Many were released from prison to go, and some had been condemned to death and volunteered as a bare chance for life.

Our astonishment is but slightly mitigated when we read that Columbus did not ask for large vessels, for there were many in the Spanish ports larger than these. He firmly believed that the voyage would be comparatively short

and the sea where he was going always smooth, and he particularly requested such vessels as would enable him to run close in along the shores and sail up the rivers. On his third voyage, when he actually reached South America, he complained of the size of his vessel, which rendered coast exploration difficult.

The Spanish authorities declare that the Santa Maria of 1892 is an exact reproduction in every detail of that of 1492. It has the same old fashioned shape, the same primitive masts, rigging and sails, and even the same armament of falconets and mortars, halberds and arquebuses. The cabin of the commander is furnished in the style of the Fifteenth century, and its table is littered with maps, documents and nautical instruments of the period. Finally, its mastsheads are decorated with the royal standards of Castile and Leon, in exact imitation of the flags which Columbus planted in the New World on Oct. 12, 1492. The vessel is manned by an excellent crew, obtained from among the fishermen and sailors of Cadiz and San Fernando, and placed under the orders of a detachment of officers of the royal navy.

At the opening of the Spanish fetes, on Aug. 3, the war vessels of all nations were at Huelva to salute the new Santa Maria on her first voyage down the river, and her entrance into the Bay of Cadiz was greeted by deafening salutes. As there was almost a dead calm, however, she had to be taken in tow by a gunboat, which marred the representation somewhat. Later, however, she sailed out beautifully on the route taken by Columbus, and returned to receive renewed salutes. At this naval congress of nations the fact was humorously commented on that Columbus took with him for interpreter a scholar who knew Latin, Greek, Hebrew, Arabic, Coptic and Armenian, in addition to Spanish; that this learned gentleman was a failure in the New World, and that the first to master any of the Indian tongues were the most illiterate sailors. But this is an oft repeated experience.

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EDNA DEAN PROCTOR.

She Wrote the Ode for the Columbus Day Celebration.

Miss Edna Dean Proctor, the descendant of a highly honored New England family, was born at Henniker, N. H. In early life she became a contributor to the best literary publications and published a volume of poems, mostly patriotic, which gave her a leading place among American poets. After traveling extensively in the east she wrote "A Russian Journey" in a vivid, picturesque Latin style, which has become a classic.



EDNA DEAN PROCTOR.

Her later poems have been slowly produced, but are everywhere held to be masterpieces of art and among the strongest voices of patriotism in our literature. She lives much of the time in Boston and at Framingham, Mass.

Miss Proctor was honored by the committee of the popular Columbus Day celebration soliciting her to write the ode which is to be rendered in every locality of America on Oct. 21. The lyric is the result of months of labor, and will take permanent rank as one of the foremost poems ever written on America.

THE PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION.

He Recommends the General Observance of Columbus Day on Oct. 21.

Whereas, by a joint resolution, approved June 23, 1892, it was resolved by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, "That the president of the United States be authorized and directed to issue a proclamation recommending to the people the observance in all their localities of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America, on the 21st of October, 1892, by public demonstrations and by suitable exercises in their schools and other places of assembly;"

Now, therefore, I, Benjamin Harrison, president of the United States of America, in pursuance of the aforesaid joint resolution, do hereby appoint Friday, Oct. 21, 1892, the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus, as a general holiday for the people of the United States. On that day let the people so far as possible cease from toil and devote themselves to such exercises as may best express honor to the discoverer and their appreciation of the great achievements of the four completed centuries of American life.

Columbus stood in his age as the pioneer of progress and enlightenment. The system of universal education is in our age the most prominent and salutary feature of the spirit of enlightenment, and it is peculiarly appropriate that the schools be made by the people the center of the day's demonstration. Let the national flag float over every school house in the country, and the exercises be such as shall impress upon our youth the patriotic duties of American citizenship.

In the churches and in the other places of assembly of the people let there be expressions of gratitude to divine Providence for the devout faith of the discoverer, and for the divine care and guidance which have directed our history and so abundantly blessed our people.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this 21st day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and seventeenth.

Benjamin Harrison
By the President: JOHN W. FOSTER, Secretary of State.

COLUMBUS DAY.

Practical Suggestions on the Proper Observance of the Anniversary.



OCTOBER 21 will be a gala day from one end to the other of the United States, and it is but proper that it should be so, for it is not Columbus Day, and will it not commemorate the discovery of a world which in the comparatively short time of four centuries has emerged from the blackness of the forest and the ignorance of the savage into the blazing sun of prosperity and the noontide of intelligence?

Now that the official programme for the uniform popular celebration of Columbus Day has been published, the question of the participation by this community in the national exercises becomes a live issue.

It goes without saying that the people of this locality will not be backward in evidencing their patriotism by an appropriate celebration of the memorable day, and a few suggestions as to the best method of executing this commendable design may not be amiss at this time.

In the first place, it should be borne in mind that it is intended that the school children should be the principal participants in the exercises. The pupils are to be at their places in school at 9 o'clock as usual. It is desirable that business be entirely suspended so that the relatives of the pupils may also be present. Printed programmes should be provided when possible, and the exercises will of course be subject to the limitations of the scholars, but everything which may be done should tend to the central ideas of Columbus' achievement and the remarkable progress of the country under the impetus of education. Appropriate patriotic decorations are necessary, and allegorical tableaux will add greatly to the effectiveness and enjoyment of the exercises. Music is also desirable.

In the afternoon comes the citizens' celebration, but, as in the morning exercises, the school children should take the most prominent part. Of course in the country districts this will not be the case, and the afternoon should be devoted to games for the young people and social gatherings for their elders, though every house should be decorated with the national colors. In the towns the afternoon should be devoted to some sort of formal celebration, in which all of the civic and military organizations should be invited to participate.

A review of school children after they have reached the reviewing stand and saluted the flag will add much to the "life and color" of the scene. A mass meeting of the citizens should follow during the day, when the best orators of the locality, and the most eloquent of the declaimers among the children—say one from each school—might deliver addresses appropriate to the occasion. The topics of these speeches will readily suggest themselves, but it must be borne in mind that anything relating to Columbus will be more interesting than anything else on such an occasion. The flag salute, the ode and the patriotic songs should be executed by the children without a hitch, and for this reason a great deal of preliminary work will have to be done by them.

Upon the school teachers will devolve the greatest portion of this labor. Each teacher should at once, if it has not already been done, present the matter of the celebration of Columbus Day to his pupils, and it should be laid before the young people in such a manner that each will be anxious to contribute as much as possible to the success of the affair. Enthusiasm is what is wanted and needed, for without it failure must result. Let each teacher select committees on reception, on decorations, on exercises, on printing, on newspapers, on arrangements and on finance. The principal must be actually if not nominally the directing spirit of each committee.

At the morning exercises at the schools the veterans should have charge of the flag and should also act as guards of honor to the schools on the march to the reviewing stand. The peculiar appropriateness of the veterans being the special patrons of the school celebration is apparent. Money and the active co-operation of the citizens at large are absolutely necessary to the success of the celebration, and these should and probably will be promptly forthcoming.

Only the general outlines of exercises suggested in the official programme are here given. These may be enlarged or contracted to conform to the wishes and possibilities of the celebrants.

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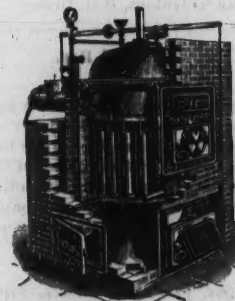
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NORTH ANDOVER.

Monday the grand jury reported Edward P. Hinman defaulted.

The Y. P. M. L. and S. Society meets this evening.

Miss Laura Place of Mont Clair, N. J., is the guest of Miss Lizzie M. Saunders.

Hon. John A. Wiley is having an addition of 20 feet made to his stable.

Mr. Isaiah Banks has moved from the Centre to the West Parish, Andover.

Mr. A. A. Baldwin and family now occupy the "Parker house" on Elm Street.

Mr. William G. Brooks and family left town yesterday for their home in Boston.

The Democratic headquarters will be open every evening until the close of the campaign.

Forty-five names were added to the list of voters at the meeting of the registrars last evening.

The democratic headquarters have been made attractive by the addition of green doors.

Mr. Eben B. Downing has removed to the house on Elm Street, left vacant by the removal of E. A. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Manning of Weymouth spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. G. Manning.

The building on wheels on the Sutton land has been mistaken for the Democratic headquarters.

The next opportunity of voters to be registered will be Monday evening, at the Town Hall.

The directors of the Wauwinet Lodge Association and library trustees held a meeting Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning of Brookline spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Benj. P. Saunders.

A travelling photographer's wagon is temporarily located on the Sutton land near Roebuck's store.

A harvest concert will be held Sunday evening at six o'clock at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. Henry Watson and two children of Lowell are visiting her sister, Mrs. William Woolley, Water Street.

Mr. Oscar M. Godfrey and family are to occupy the house on High Street vacated by Eben B. Downing.

At the meeting of the Selectmen, Monday, it was decided to forbid the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks and foot-paths in town.

A Democratic rally will be held in Odd Fellows' Hall this evening. The speakers are Hon. Frank H. Pope and Hon. Philip J. Farley.

The Essex County Conference of Liberal Churches met at the North Church, Salem, on Thursday of this week. A good number from this place attended.

The marriage of Mr. Philip Murphy to Miss Devlin of Boston occurred at St. Michael's Church, Wednesday afternoon, Rev. M. T. McManus officiating.

Chief Templar Jonas Eastwood of Wynona Lodge attended the semi-annual meeting of the Grand Lodge at Lynn, Wednesday.

In the vestry of the M. E. church this evening there will be a harvest dinner and entertainment from six to eight o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

The meeting of Wynona Lodge next Monday evening will be devoted to a discussion of the subject "Matrimony, or Should the Bachelors be taxed?"

The club-room committee of the Village Improvement Association met at St. Paul's rectory last evening at 5 o'clock. A public meeting of the Association will be held at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Panaretto leave North Andover probably Monday, Oct. 24, for New York where they remain until the 2d of Nov. when they sail for Constantinople.

The query has been made whether the recent lawsuits against the electric company have been the cause of the new arrangement of making so few trips to the Centre.

The teachers of the district schools in town met this afternoon at the Bradstreet building to complete arrangements as to how instruction in drawing shall be extended to the pupils of their schools.

Dogs attacked a flock of sheep belonging to Miss Hannah Kittredge, and killed four outright and badly mangled four others. The same night Mr. Henry Kilham, in West Boxford, had a flock nearly all killed by dogs.

The members of Wynona Lodge spent an enjoyable evening at their last meeting, the occasion being "gentlemen's surprise night." A collation was served, songs were sung, and games were played until the hour for closing.

That the recent Charity Concert was a complete success is evinced by the fact that the sum of \$112.25 was cleared above expenses. The promoters of the affair are to be congratulated on the realization of their efforts.

During the winter season the Junior League meetings will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoons instead of on Thursdays, as has been customary. Small pamphlets showing the winter arrangement of services at the M. E. Church have been distributed.

Among those who attended the meeting of the Andover conference at Lowell, Tuesday, were Rev. H. H. Leavitt, Mr.

and Mrs. Moses Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Frye, Mrs. James Roache, Mrs. J. B. and Miss Lucy A. Marston.

Mrs. S. H. Furber left town this morning for a ten days' pleasure trip along the Pennsylvania railroad. During her absence she will visit many places of interest and note, including Gettysburg, Blue Mountains, Luray caverns, Grotto of the Shenandoah, National Bridge, Richmond, and Washington.

There is a movement on foot in the Congregational Society to establish a choral union which is to be under the direction of Mr. Edward Butterworth. If successful organization is completed and sufficient interest manifested, the cantata of "Ruth" will be taken up for study.

Much indignation is felt by the inhabitants of the Centre at the action taken by Superintendent Morton in limiting the trips of the electric cars to that place to five a day. Ever since the route was started the patronage has been so great as to excite the surprise of all observers, and it seems very unjust to discontinue the most necessary trips of all, the morning, noon, and 9 o'clock, P.M., ones.

The meeting of the Congregational Club at Lawrence, Monday evening, was well attended by people from town. Among those present were: Rev. H. H. Leavitt, Miss Mary Leavitt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Hathorn, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Butterworth, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Stillings, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carney, Mr. J. S. Sanborn, Miss Annie Sanborn, Miss Helen Sargent, Messrs. Frank Drew, F. W. Frisbee, Andrew McLean.

At the meeting of the Selectmen, Monday, the following election officers were appointed. Precinct 1—Wardens: Jos. S. Sanborn, Apollon S. Perkins, Clerk, Frank W. Frisbee. Inspectors, Martin H. Pulsifer, Jas. A. Ellison. Deputy Inspector, Alphonso W. Badger, John A. Morrissey. Precinct 2—Wardens: James O. Poor, Winfield S. Hughes, Clerk, Amos D. Carleton. Inspectors, F. Orris Rea, Morris Herbert. Deputy Inspectors, Milan S. Jenkins, Wm. Toohey.

Field Day.

Saturday, was a model day for out-of-door sports and a large number of members and friends attended the fourth annual target shoot and games of Co. L at the town farm range. Shooting commenced at 10 o'clock and continued all day. Following are the prizes and winners:

COMPANY MATCH.

First, pair opera glasses, Priv. Orrin Fish, score 20; second, silk umbrella, Priv. A. C. Fish, score 19; third, pair shoes, Priv. G. M. Henderson, score 16; fourth, grip, Priv. Samuel Reilly, score 12.

INVITED GUESTS.

Prize, silk hat, secured by Lieut. Kirkwood, Co. F, 9th Inf., score 21.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Prize, mantle clock, Dr. F. E. Weil, score 15.

ALL COMERS.

Prize, derby hat, Lieut. Kirkwood, Co. F, score 22.

SPORTS.

Hop, step and jump, pair slippers, Priv. J. J. Donovan; three-legged race, pair neckties, Privates J. J. Donovan and McRobbie; 100 yards dash, cuff buttons, Priv. J. J. Smith; running jump, necktie, J. J. Donovan; tug of war, box cigars, Capt. McRobbie's team; 100 yards dash for all comers, box cigars, R. H. Smith; 100 yards dash invited guests, pipe, Andrew Winning. Dinner was excellently served by Mr. Frank Gile.

Social Gathering and Reception.

The social season at the Congregational Church opened last Wednesday evening with a gathering of about 150 people who were requested by general invitation to meet with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Panaretto of Constantinople. As the various comers arrived they were greeted by the members of the reception committee, represented by Rev. H. H. Leavitt, Mrs. Chas. E. Stillings, Miss Annie E. Sanborn. Each, in turn, was then formally presented by the ushers to the guests of the evening. After a time devoted to social conversation and exchange of greetings, the following musical programme was rendered:

Piano solo, "Der Lindenbaum," Schubert
Miss Nellie W. Stillings.
Song, "The Angel came," Cowen
Mrs. G. E. Hathorn.
Song, "Answer," Robyn
Miss Lizzie M. Saunders.
Piano solo, "Invitation to the Dance," Webber
Miss Mary I. Baldwin.

At the conclusion of the programme a dainty collation was served to all present. The closing feature of the occasion was an interesting and instructive talk given by request by Mr. Panaretto, relative to the early history of the Bulgarian people, their progression in regard to adopting modern methods of education, the eagerness and aptitude displayed by them as a nation to become self-reliant. The religious and political condition of the country was passed in brief review and contrasted with that of contiguous nations.

For the interest manifested in the welfare of Mr. and Mrs. Panaretto, and in recognition of the happy greeting extended, the people were assured of being kindly remembered, and that in the future, even though separated by thousands of miles, the occasion would be referred to as one of unalloyed pleasure and one which would abide with both as a happy memory. Messrs. Frank W. Frisbee, Fred S. Smith, Wm. McQueston, Chas. H. Morrill, and A. P. Chickering served as ushers.

Wedding.

STANSFIELD-BAIRSTOW.

A private wedding was quietly celebrated at St. John's Church, Lawrence, Wednesday morning at nine o'clock when Mr. Charles E. Stansfield of this town was united in marriage to Miss Annie Bairstow of Lawrence. The ceremony was performed in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends by Rev. Mr. Wood. Miss Sarah Bairstow, sister of the bride, assisted as bridesmaid, and Mr. William Woolley of town acted as groomsmen. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents on Holly Street where a reception was held and where a dainty wedding feast was served. Congratulations were heartily offered by those present to the young couple who were the recipients of many useful and beautiful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Stansfield will make their future home on Broadway, Lawrence.

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Andover Conference at Lowell.

The semi-annual meeting of the Andover conference was held with the Highland Church, Lowell, Tuesday afternoon and evening, both sessions being well attended. Andover, as usual, contributed fully her share to this number. Hon. N. P. Frye of North Andover was chosen moderator and A. W. Burnham of Lowell clerk. The exercises were opened with a prayer meeting led by J. H. Colquhoun of West Parish, after which the moderator appointed as the business committee Rev. James Alexander, Dr. Dana, and T. A. McMaster.

The New England commander of the Salvation Army, Maj. Wm. Brewer, next delivered an interesting address on "Publicans and Sinners: How to Reach them."

The evening session began with a report of the business committee, which recommended the adoption of a petition from the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society asking for the location by law of licensed saloons as far from churches as from schoolhouses. It was voted to refer the petition to the standing committee. The question of changing the time of future conferences from afternoon and evening to morning and afternoon sessions was favorably spoken of and referred to the committee.

It was voted that a permanent committee of arrangements be appointed for four years, one member to go out of office on each succeeding year. The committee as appointed was Rev. G. F. Kengott of Lowell, four years, Rev. F. W. Greene of Andover, three years, Mr. S. A. Chase of Lowell, two years, and Mr. S. G. Sargent of Methuen, one year, and the scribe ex-officio.

It was voted to hold the next meeting with the First Congregational Church of Lowell in April. After a vote of thanks to the Highland Congregational Church for their hospitality had been passed, Rev. Dr. Palmer spoke for a few minutes of the Massachusetts Theological Library of Boston, explained its plan, resources, and advantages to all churches and pastors of the land.

A report of the number of delegates present showed a total of 110, comprising 15 pastors, 8 Sunday School Superintendents, and 87 laymen.

After a prayer meeting led by Rev. G. H. Johnson of Lowell, Rev. C. M. Southgate of Worcester spoke on a Sunday School topic, "Crystallization." He said two fundamental principles sum it all: 1. Let parent and teacher see to it that their own characters are crystallized as perfect gems. 2. God commits a creation to us under Him; gems in embryo, to be cut and made perfect for Him.

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